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In supplementation of the March 11 response to the office action mailed October 11, 2002, please enter the following amendments and remarks:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please rewrite claim 11 to read as follows:

11 (amended). An expression vector which is a recombinant DNA molecule or a purified DNA molecule, other than a whole chromosome, comprising a promoter sequence operably linked to a coding sequence, said coding sequence encoding a polypeptide comprising an epitope specifically bound by monoclonal antibody SM3, which polypeptide comprises a repeat sequence corresponding to a series of 20 consecutive amino acids within the 40 amino acid double repeat sequence

Val Thr Ser Ala Pro Asp Thr Arg Pro Ala Pro Gly Ser Thr Ala
Pro Pro Ala His Gly Val Thr Ser Ala Pro Asp Thr Arg Pro Ala Pro
Gly Ser Thr Ala Pro Pro Ala His Gly.